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MANNOSYLATED LIPOGLYCANS AND USES THEREOF

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

This Amendment is filed with a Request for Continued Examination and an Information Disclosure Statement. Accordingly, this paper is timely filed.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

A **Conclusion** appears at page 4 of this paper.